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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 304, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the operation of golf carts and motorized wheelchairs upon city streets.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 304, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new
2 section, to be known as section 304.034, to read as follows:

**304.034. 1. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, the
2 governing body of any municipality may by resolution or ordinance
3 allow persons to operate golf carts or motorized wheelchairs upon any
4 street or highway under the governing body's jurisdiction. A golf cart
5 or motorized wheelchair shall not be operated at any time on any state
6 or federal highway, but may be operated upon such highway in order
7 to cross a portion of the state highway system which intersects a
8 municipal street. No golf cart or motorized wheelchair shall cross any
9 highway at an intersection where the highway being crossed has a
10 posted speed limit of more than forty-five miles per hour.**

**11 2. Golf carts operated on city streets shall be equipped with
12 adequate brakes and shall meet any other safety requirements imposed
13 by the governing body. Golf carts are not subject to the registration
14 provisions of chapter 301, RSMo.**

**15 3. As used in this section, a "golf cart" means a motor vehicle that
16 is designed and manufactured for operation on a golf course for
17 sporting or recreational purposes and that is not capable of exceeding
18 speeds of twenty miles per hour.**

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